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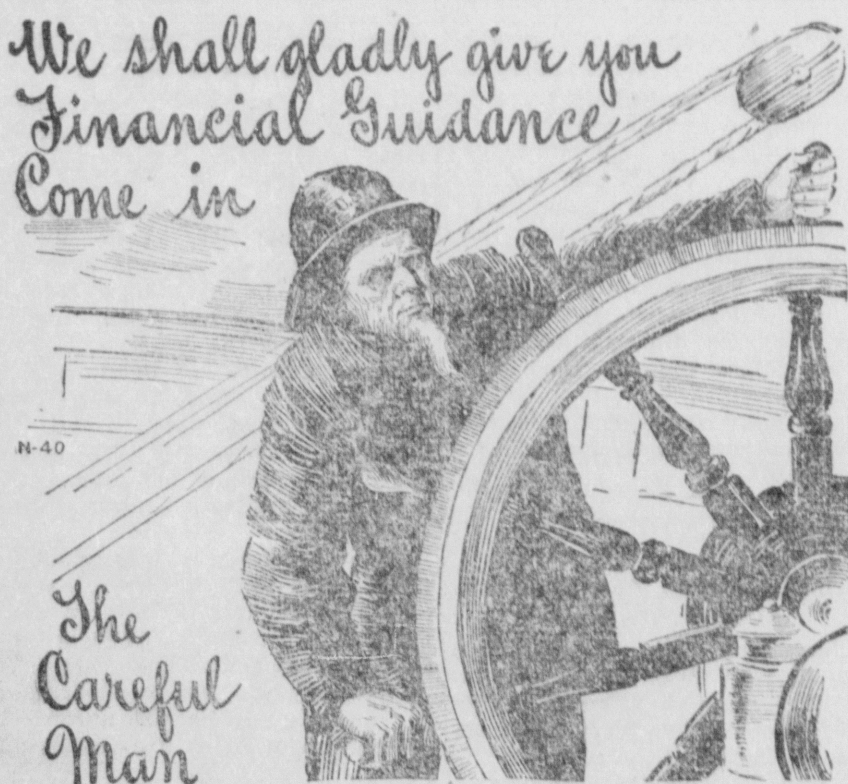
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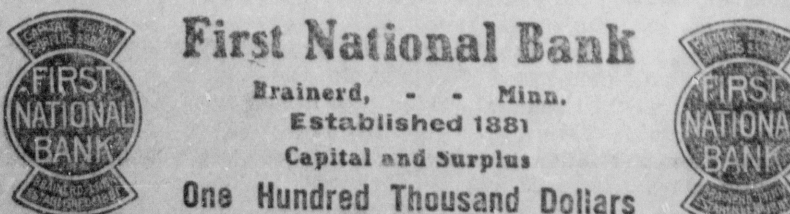
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**WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST**

Issued by the U. S. Weather Bureau,  
Washington, for the Week  
Beginning May 12, 1915

For the Upper Mississippi Valley and the Plains States:—Generally fair weather is indicated during the week, except that local showers are indicated early in the week over the extreme northwest. Temperatures will be moderate, with a rise Wednesday over the extreme northwest.

**THE WEATHER**

Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours.  
Weather forecast generally fair, moderate winds.

May 11, maximum 81, minimum 61.

**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

A. A. Mackay, of Woodrow, is very sick.

S. E. Atkley, of Duluth, was in the city today.

Nettleton Sells and Rents Houses.

O. S. Swanson went to Swanville this afternoon.

Police court was quiet today, not a case being heard.

Joseph Weinburg, of Duluth, was in the city on business.

For Spring Water Phone 264. 11

F. H. McCaffrey went to Woodrow today to examine several contracts.

**YOU BETTER HURRY**

If you want 4 lots, 6th St. S., at about half price this week only. Fine trees, \$300 cash required. No nicer lots anywhere. NETTLETON.

H. B. Blackwood returned last night from a business trip to Duluth.

George Grewcock, Harry Carlson, and Judd Wright motored to the range today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sleeper went to Bemidji this afternoon where they will be for a couple of days.

List houses for sale with Nettleton. 289tf-dw

Guy By, a boilermaker employed at the Rowe mine and Ernest Holmes, a machinist, were in the city yesterday.

Wendell Hertig, an attorney of Minneapolis, is in the city on real estate business, having interests in the city.

Ice cream at Turners'. Phone 267-J. 255tf

Cement sidewalks about the city hall, jail and fire station have greatly improved the appearance of the municipal group of structures.

Phone 359L for DRY millwood.—Advt. 1782f

Mr. and Mrs. Claus A. Theorin, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Holst visited Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Klunkenberg at Barrows.

For Real Estate, see Nettleton. 284dwtf

P. J. Mungavin, of Superior, Wis., Henry Mills of the M. & L. and Jos-

eph E. Smith of Deerwood, went to Fargo, N. D., to attend a meeting of roadmasters.

A special meeting of Brainerd Chapter, No. 42, R. A. M., will be held this evening at which time work in the Royal Arch degree will be conferred.

Any one desiring to secure Lycosite Fluid can do so by calling at 601 Sixth street south. 288tf

There will be a U. C. T. meeting on Saturday evening and all members are asked to be present at Elks hall as Secretary Anderson says very important business is to be taken up.

Lawn mowers from \$3 to \$14 at D. M. Clark & Co's. —265tf

A meeting of the special committee having the matter of a Fourth of July celebration in Brainerd in hand, will be held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms tonight at 7:30. All member&s are asked to be present.

NON-ALCOHOL delivered to any part of the city. Phone 213, Brainerd Brewery.—Advt. 289tf5

The city force of men and teams is doing commendable work in street and alley cleaning and Brainerd is certainly being brushed up as never before in its history. Gutters are being cleaned out which have not known the touch of a shovel for years.

**Regular Meeting  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
WEDNESDAY 12th  
8 p. m.**

Nettleton has a home for you. 276tf

The city begins to show improvement under the "Clean-up" plan inaugurated for the week. There is room for further improvement and it is hoped no unsightly spot will be overlooked. The sanitary police will give "first aid" if their assistance is needed to enforce the matter.

White Flowering Pansy Plants in bloom. Strong field grown, at 25c per basket, at P. A. Erickson, Florist, 1103 East Quince St., Phone 464. 289tf5p

Clyde Parker, H. P. Dunn, H. W. Linnemann, Henry I. Cohen and N. H. Ingersoll are the members of a committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to sound sentiment in the city regarding the local celebration of the Fourth of July. Their findings will be made public at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce this evening.

Now is the time to plant your pansies. First come, first choice. Phone 183-J. J. J. Untereker, East Brainerd Greenhouse.—Advt. 289tf3

"Speaking of baseball teams," said Pete Cardel, in a ruminative mood, "reminds me of the time when the Algona team played in Iowa. We started at 3 o'clock and at 7 in the evening we had only one man out and had pounded out 93 runs. The other side had one run. We thought we might make a cricket game out of it and start up again next day, but the Iowa fellows said they had enough and were tired chasing up the ball. No, we don't play any games like that nowadays."

For Sale Cheap—3 horse marine gas engine. If interested inquire at Ransford billiard hall. 290tf4

Miss Vivian Brockway of Brainerd, is the guest of Mrs. C. A. Bush over Sunday.—Father Lamey of Ft. Ripley, was the guest of Father J. J. T. Philippe today, while enroute to Remer, Minnesota, where he will say mass tomorrow.—Chas. Rattlinger, who has spent the past two weeks in Bemidji, relieving Ole Nelson, manager of the Hotel Markham, returned to his home in Minneapolis last evening. Mr. Rattlinger is the manager of the Majestic hotel in the Mill City.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Lawn grass seed, clover, timothy and blue grass, at D. M. Clark & Co. 265tf

**STATUS OF DR. DERNBURG**

Statements of German Agent Annoy American Officials.

Washington, May 12.—It developed that serious consideration has been given to the status of Dr. Dernburg, former German colonial secretary, who has been in this country for several months past as a spokesman for the German cause.

The statements of Dr. Dernburg, justifying the torpedoing of the Lusitania, as an incident of war, taken in connection with other utterances, are understood to have met with strong disapproval in high executive quarters.

This has led to some examination of precedents to see what courses are open to the government to restrict the embarrassment which many officials feel has resulted from his activity.

The departure of Dr. Dernburg or the cessation of his activities would, it was intimated, not be unwelcome to the authorities here, to say the least.

**SHADE FOR LAMP.**

Upon Its Selection Depends  
Beauty of Room.

**CRETONNES OR CHINTZ USED.**

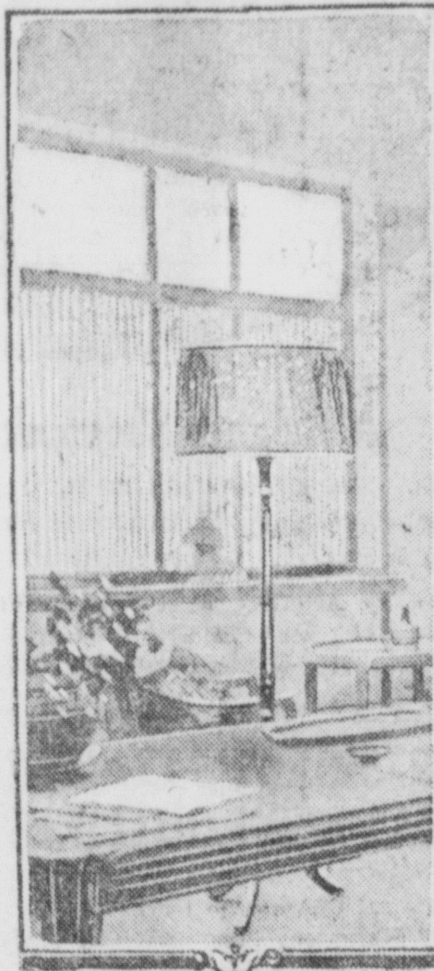
Pretty Accessories for a Room May Be Inexpensively Made at Home With the Expenditure of Little Time and Energy.

There is no pleasanter task for a young girl than to fix up her own room. Few girls have a sitting room or den in addition to their bedroom. Others must even share their bedrooms with a sister. But if it is possible every girl should have a special sanctum. If it must be bedroom and den combined it must be especially neat, because in most cases girlish visitors are ushered right in and expect to see an attractive, cozy room.

A little cretonne drape will do wonders toward making the barest of rooms homelike. This should be plain if the walls are figured or figured if the walls are striped or merely bordered with flowers.

The latest fancy is to decorate the bureau china to correspond with the embroidery pattern of the cover. The girl with a taste for china painting can decorate her own boxes, trays and brush backs, piece by piece, and if she cares to do so can use the same design for the cups and saucers and teapot on her tea table, copying the designs in colors on her tablecloth, dollies and whatever covers she needs on her various dressing tables, chiffoniers and tables.

She might even add an embroidered pillow cushion or two to her window seat. To correspond she should use a



LAMP SHADE FOR DEN.

design as similar as possible to the wall paper or drapery. Of course, the large splashy cretonne patterns could not be satisfactorily reproduced on chintz even though the cretonne itself could be bordered with lace and used for covers, but a flower design from the mass on the cretonne could be used.

But even with all these preparations her room will be incomplete without a proper shade for her lamp. It may be a kerosene, gas or electric lamp, it may be a tall piano lamp, as shown in the illustration, but whatever she may choose or have thrust upon her in a lightning way must be properly shaded, for upon this depends the success of her room after lamp-light.

The lamp shade in the illustration is made on a wire frame, which can be bought in almost any fancy workshop. Rose colored cretonne, with an overcovering of dotted muslin, was used in its development. First the cretonne was stretched plainly upon the frame, and then the muslin was shirred over the cretonne. Flowered cretonne without the covering could be used, as the girl with a talent for this sort of thing will soon discover as she experiments.

Candle shades may be made in the same way, and bits of old over lace may be used for a covering instead of the muslin.

**NEW FABRICS.**

The vogue of the ruffled dress has turned the tide of the popular embroidered volles, and instead of the heavy bordered fabrics of other years there are daintier patterns of flowers in silk or cotton scattered not too closely over white or delicately colored grounds and as quaint as the blooms from an old fashioned nosegay.

Some of the designs echo the familiar cubist colorings in their gaiety, but they are usually toned down with touches of black. Black and white embroidery on white promises to be as much a favorite as ever, while gray on white is another attractive combination. Where the material is bordered the design is usually scalloped at the bottom, and one piece of goods has the very commendable feature of three distinct borders to simulate three ruffles when the goods shall be used crosswise for a skirt.



WAIST 7530 SKIRT 7552.

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**A LAND OF MURDERS.**

Papua, a Cold Blooded Country, Where  
Life is Held Cheap.

Papua has long been known as a bloody land. It is a bloody land still. But the blood of white men is rarely let, and the wanton slaughter of natives, the one by the other—at least in those fast widening regions which are within the sphere of the law—is fast diminishing. All this being so in one year, nevertheless, when there were 215 prisoners committed for trial, 118 of them were charged with murder, nine with manslaughter and five with attempted murder.

To the civilized mind the motives to murder, shocking enough, to be sure, nor wanting an aspect of grewsome humor, are upon occasion incredible. As they are matters of record, however, disclosed on painstaking investigation, they are to be accepted, not as irresponsible tales, such as wander about the eastern seas, but as substantial facts, however singular and incomprehensible they may appear.

It is a matter of court record, for example, that certain natives of what is called the coast range, being upon trial for the murder of two carriers, whose throats they had cut, admitted the deed without the least hesitation and sought to justify the ghastly business upon the ground that the carrier had appeared to be "cold and hungry"—defected fellows, far away from their village. The prisoners had not eaten the carriers. They had merely—with the most considerate expedition—cut the throats of the carriers, who were strangers, at any rate, and therefore of no great consequence, and no ingenuity of cross questioning could elicit a motive ulterior to the one so ingeniously advanced—that the carriers, appearing to be "cold and hungry," were, in the opinion of the gentlemen who had incontinently cut their throats, much better dead.

A similar case of merciful extermination concerned a young native employed to shoot game for a white planter, who encountered a sick man (Papuan) on the road near a river and strangled him to death. Upon trial he explained that the sick man had created annoyance and a considerable embarrassment as well by insistently requesting to be carried across the river to the other side, whence his way lay forward to his village.

"Quite so," said the presiding officer. "Why, then, didn't you carry him across the river?"

"He was too heavy," replied the native. "It would have put me to a great deal of trouble."

"Why did you kill him?"

"What else could I do? The man was sick."

It was out of the question to endure the labor of carrying the sick man across the river. It was equally out of the question to abandon the pitiable object. Therefore the bewildered fellow had strangled him—the most obvious way out of a dilemma which bade fair to distress his feelings.—Harper's Magazine.

**\$100 REWARD.**

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Take Hall Family Pills for constipation.

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**WANTS**

Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and one half a cent a word for each subsequent insertion, strictly cash in advance, but no ad will be taken for less than fifteen

**HELP WANTED.**

DINING Room girl wanted at West's 277tf

GOOD reliable girl wanted at 601 Sixth street south. 288tf

WANTED—Two painters. Curtis & Hendrickson, 310 S. 7th St. 290tf

WANTED—Man and wife for farm work. Apply to F. S. Parker. 288tf

WANTED—Good girl for general housework, 1011 Kingwood St. 285tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 303 North Fourth Street. 282tf

WANTED—Man for gardener and chore work. Apply to F. S. Parker. 288tf

WANTED—Good, experienced girl waiter. Brainerd Cafe, 624 Front Street. 275tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Herman, 429 Pine St. N. E. 290tf3p

WANTED—Experienced solicitor at once to canvas Brainerd. Apply the Ideal Hotel, room 5. 1tp

WANTED—A one good girl for general housework. Apply to 504 3rd street North. Phone 328.

WANTED—Female help, immediately, chambermaids and dining room girls. Hotel Reno, Deerwood, Minn. 290tf4-w11

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages and no washing. Mrs. J. A. Thabes, 417 Holly street. 289tf

WANTED—Good girl for general housework, no washing if not desired. Mrs. W. A. M. Johnstone, 504 North 4th street. 288tf

**FOR RENT.**

FURNISHED FLATS for rent in the Pearce block. 290tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room in the Lagerquist block. 287tf13p

FOR RENT—Four room flat in Lagerquist block, enquire on the premises. 254tf

FOR RENT—Steam heated furnished flats for light housekeeping, Pearce block. 219tf

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms at 615 Maple St. S., water and light paid. 290tf6p

FURNISHED ROOMS—2 or 3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, down stairs. Also furnished rooms for rent at 307 Seventh street So. Phone 135-R. 285tf

FOR RENT—One store building 25x 50, corner of Kindred street and Second avenue, No. 123 N. E. Good location for any business. Tel. 133-R. Ed. Cullen. 290tf

**FOR SALE**

FOR SALE OR RENT—Hotel Antlers. In good condition. 280tf

FOR SALE—Fine China closet, sideboard, dining room table, book cases, etc., almost good as new. Inquire at 324 4th street North. 284tf

FOR SALE—Two carloads of horses—general purpose horses and some mares with foal. Every horse sold under guarantee. Satisfactory terms given.—Burton & Greisch.

**Wants Continued**

Little Falls Horse Market, Little Falls, Minn. 290tf6

**MISCELLANEOUS**

BOARD and Room at 810 Front St. 270tf

FOR SERVICE—Thoroughbred Jersey bull. Call at 1022 Seventh street South. J. M. Hayes. 243tf

EXCHANGE—Truck, motorcycle and cash, for modern, five passenger auto. Box 24, Brainerd, Minnesota. 279-1mo

TENANT wanted for lake shore farm, married man preferred. 70 acres ready for crop. Eagle Lake Realty Co., 508 Front St. 290tf3

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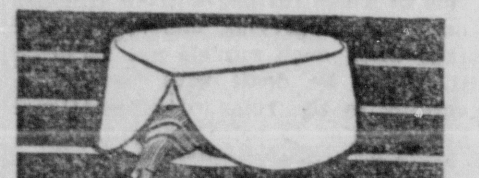
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Calloused Feet and Burning  
Corns—Can't Beat "Tiz"

"Ah! Boys,  
'TIZ' is the  
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People who are forced to stand on their feet all day know what sore, tender, sweaty, burning feet mean. They use "TIZ", and "TIZ" cures their feet right up. It keeps feet in perfect condition. "TIZ" is the only remedy in the world that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet and cause tender, sore, tired, aching feet. It instantly stops the pain in corns, callouses and bunions. It's simply glorious. Ah! how comfortable your feet feel after using "TIZ". You'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't tighten and hurt your feet.

Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" now from any druggist, department or general store. Just think! a whole year's foot comfort for only 25 cents.



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## WOMAN'S REALM

## PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. E. A. Hasty, of Blackduck, went to Little Falls this afternoon to attend the sixth district convention of women's clubs.

Mrs. M. E. Woods, of New York, is at "Murphy's, the Store of Quality," where she is taking subscriptions to "The Delineator" magazine for a few days, at 75c a year.

Mrs. Henry I. Cohen and Mrs. D. A. Haggard, past president and president of the Brainerd Musical club, went to Little Falls this afternoon to attend the sixth district convention of women's clubs.

## Ladies Aid Meeting

The ladies aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Mrs. John Finne, 1324 Norwood street. Visitors are welcome.

## Willing Workers Banquet

The Willing Workers of the Evangelical church of Northeast Brainerd gave a banquet to the "I'll Try" class for winning the contest in the Sunday school. The girls said the boys were fine entertainers and all had an enjoyable time. The boys wore caps and aprons and served a five course banquet.

## Corrects

She—A man's wife should be very, very dear to him. He—Dear, but not expensive.



## MILITARY BOOTS.

The boots illustrated are quite the snappiest things in footwear shown this season.

They are of patent leather, laced upon the inside and betasseled in front. The same styles are made in white, tan and bronze leather with good effect.



## PRETTY BATHING SUIT.

Black satin is used almost more than any other material for this season's bathing suits. The one shown here is lent distinction and a dash of style by a girde of cream silk dotted with crimson dots.

You can't prevent an attack of Rheumatism from coming on, but you can stop it almost immediately. Sloan's Liniment gently applied to the sore joint or muscle penetrates in a few minutes to the inflamed spot that causes the pain. It soothes the hot, tender, swollen feeling, and in a very short time brings a relief that is almost unbelievable until you experience it. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25c. of any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, lumbago, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.—tts.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

## COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners, Meeting Held May 4th, 1915

Pursuant to adjournment the board met at the court house on May 4th, 1915, at ten o'clock A. M. All members present.

The minutes of the meeting of April 6th, 1915, were read and duly approved.

Members of the town board of Wolford appeared before the commissioners and reported on the condition of the bridge over the Mississippi river north of that town. It was moved and seconded that the district engineer be instructed to inspect said bridge and prepare plans and specifications for the repair thereof, and the auditor to advertise for bids on same to be opened at the June 1st meeting of the board. Motion carried.

Plat of Emily, comprising the NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 34, Twp. 138, Rge. 26, was presented by the Northern Improvement company. Motion made and seconded that the plat be accepted and a copy filed for the use of the county auditor's office. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that the Auditor be instructed to advertise for bids for twenty-four 12x24 state standard corrugated galvanized iron culverts to be opened at the June 1st meeting of the board, at two o'clock P. M. Motion carried.

A petition was received from the town board of the town of Little Pine for an appropriation of \$500 to go towards the building of a bridge and approaches across the Little Pine river in section 11 of that town. Upon motion the matter was referred to the district engineer for investigation.

A petition was received from members of the town board of the town of Bay Lake for an appropriation of \$200 to be expended on the county roads in sections 2, 3 and 9 in that town. Motion made and seconded that \$100 be appropriated for that purpose. Motion carried.

H. J. Stark, representing the town of Little Pine, addressed the board in regard to having an examination of their town by public examiner. The board were of the opinion that the state of affairs were not serious enough to warrant such an examination, and no action was taken in the matter.

On motion the board adjourned for the noon hour. Board met at two o'clock P. M. All members present.

Citizens of the village of Pequot appeared before the board asking for an appropriation of \$500 towards the expenses of the county fair held in that village. Motion made and seconded that \$500 be appropriated for this purpose and the treasurer of the association to give proper bond. Motion carried.

The board then proceeded to open bids for the construction of state highway bridges Nos. 1717 and 1728. The following bids were received on bridge No. 1717:

Slab Span	Beam span
F. A. Glass	\$1450 \$1490
Johnson & Peterson	1010 1032
Hewett Bridge Co.	1625 1450
Mpls. Bridge Co.	1450 1350
Ill. Steel Bridge Co.	1675 1480
Continental Bridge Co.	1598 1398
C. R. Watson	1050

State highway bridge No. 1728:	
F. A. Glass	\$1690
Johnson & Peterson	1250
Hewett Bridge Co.	1675
Mpls. Bridge Co.	1575
Ill. Steel Bridge Co.	1725
Continental Bridge Co.	1698
C. R. Watson	1250

Motion made and seconded that the bids of Johnson & Peterson on bridge No. 1717, concrete slab span, and on bridge No. 1728 be accepted, and the county attorney to draw up the proper contracts. Motion carried.

No bids were considered for the re-decking with concrete blocks of the Laurel street bridge and the old M. & I. bridge north of the dam on account of the plans and specifications not properly covering the repairs called for, and the auditor was instructed to re-advertise for bids to be opened at the June 1st meeting of the board, at two o'clock P. M.

Bids were opened for construction of state road No. 6 in sections 2 and 3, Twp. 46, Rge. 28 from stations 105 and 156 inclusive. The following bids were received:

F. A. Glass	\$10,600.00
Fred Reid	7,490.00
John Gilmer	7,500.00
L. A. Baumgartner Co.	9,500.72
S. J. Groves & Son	7082.64
Peter I. Moe	5,495.00

It was moved and seconded that the contract be awarded to Peter I. Moe, and the county attorney be instructed to draw up the proper contract. Motion carried.

A bid was presented from R. J. Magban for the cleaning out of Ditch No. 12 in the town of Bay Lake, amount \$1400. Same was rejected and the auditor instructed to

re-advertise for bids to be received at the June 1st meeting of the board at two o'clock P. M.

The supervisors of the town of Deerwood made an application for an appropriation of \$450 for work on different county roads in that town. Motion made and seconded that \$300 be appropriated, provided that said supervisors dismiss the suit now pending in the district court for the payment of a bill of \$90.50 for the use of wheel scrapers owned by the town of Deerwood, which bill was disallowed at the April 6th meeting of the board. Motion carried.

A communication was received from the members of the village council of Jenkins asking for an appropriation of \$200 to be used on the county road running north through that village. Upon motion the matter was referred to the county attorney for advice as to whether the county could appropriate monies for such purpose.

A petition signed by A. D. Polk et al was received for the establishing of a county road beginning at the corner of sections 5, 6, 7 and 8, Twp. 133, Rge. 28 and running thence north on the section lines and terminating at the intersection of the Gull lake road. Upon motion the petition was accepted and a hearing ordered on same for Monday the 12th day of July, 1915, at two o'clock P. M., and all members of the board were appointed a committee to meet at the southwest corner of section 5, Twp. 133, Rge. 28 on the 29th day of May 1915, at two o'clock P. M. to examine the route of said road.

An application from the supervisors of the town of Pelican was received asking for an appropriation of \$250 to aid said town in building roads. Motion made and seconded that \$150 be appropriated. Motion carried.

An application was received from the town board of the town of Smiley asking for an appropriation of \$150 to be expended on what is known as the Leech lake road in section 2 of that town. Motion made and seconded that \$75.00 be appropriated for that purpose. Motion carried.

The engineer of the tractor appeared before the board stating that certain parts had become worn and broken. Upon motion the matter of ordering the defective parts was left with the county auditor.

The matter of the unexpired liquor license issued to Gust Schmidt, of Oreland, which was referred to the county attorney at the April 6th meeting, was again taken up, the county attorney having reported that the amount of \$53.17 was legally due Mr. Schmidt as such refund. Motion made and seconded that said amount be refunded out of the road and bridge fund. Motion carried.

Upon motion the auditor was instructed to correspond with the highway commission to learn the reason why said commission had laid on the table the board's resolution designating certain changes in the route of state road No. 3, also why plans for the re-decking of the old M. & I. bridge were not furnished as specified.

Upon motion board adjourned until 7:30 P. M. Board met at 7:30 P. M. All members present.

Upon motion the janitor was instructed to have the seats on the jail repaired.

Erick Kronberg appeared before the board and complained of the damage done his land on account of the water being drained from the county roadway along the E 1/2 of SW 1/4 of section 29, township 45, range 30. Upon motion the matter was referred to the district engineer to have the drain continued to an outlet.

Application from the town board of the town of Ft. Ripley was received asking for an appropriation of \$200 to be used on road between that town and the town of St. Mathias. Motion made and seconded that \$100 be appropriated for that purpose. Motion carried.

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Two dozen Hens.	1 Check Row Corn Planter.
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## Ladies Aid Meeting

The ladies aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Mrs. John Finne, 1324 Norwood street. Visitors are welcome.

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The Willing Workers of the Evangelical church of Northeast Brainerd gave a banquet to the "I'll Try" class for winning the contest in the Sunday school. The girls said the boys were fine entertainers and all had an enjoyable time. The boys wore caps and aprons and served a five course banquet.

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## COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

## Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners, Meeting Held May 4th, 1915

Pursuant to adjournment the board met at the court house on May 4th, 1915, at ten o'clock A. M. All members present.

The minutes of the meeting of April 6th, 1915, were read and duly approved.

Members of the town board of Wolford appeared before the commissioners and reported on the condition of the bridge over the Mississippi river north of that town. It was moved and seconded that the district engineer be instructed to inspect said bridge and prepare plans and specifications for the repair thereof, and the auditor to advertise for bids on same to be opened at the June 1st meeting of the board. Motion carried.

Plat of Emily, comprising the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 34, Twp. 138, Rge. 26, was presented by the Northern Improvement company. Motion made and seconded that the plat be accepted and a copy filed for the use of the county auditor's office. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that the Auditor be instructed to advertise for bids for twenty-four 12x24 state standard corrugated galvanized iron culverts to be opened at the June 1st meeting of the board, at two o'clock P. M. Motion carried.

A petition was received from the town board of the town of Little Pine for an appropriation of \$500 to go towards the building of a bridge and approaches across the Little Pine river in section 11 of that town. Upon motion the matter was referred to the district engineer for investigation.

A petition was received from members of the town board of the town of Bay Lake for an appropriation of \$200 to be expended on the county roads in sections 2, 3 and 9 in that town. Motion made and seconded that \$100 be appropriated for that purpose. Motion carried.

H. J. Stark, representing the town of Little Pine, addressed the board in regard to having an examination of their town by public examiner. The board were of the opinion that the state of affairs were not serious enough to warrant such an examination, and no action was taken in the matter.

On motion the board adjourned for the noon hour. Board met at two o'clock P. M. All members present.

Citizens of the village of Pequot appeared before the board asking for an appropriation of \$500 towards the expenses of the county fair held in that village. Motion made and seconded that \$500 be appropriated for this purpose and the treasurer of the association to give proper bond. Motion carried.

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Hewett Bridge Co.	1625 1450
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State highway bridge No. 1728:	
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Motion made and seconded that the bids of Johnson & Peterson on bridge No. 1717, concrete slab span, and on bridge No. 1728 be accepted, and the county attorney to draw up the proper contracts. Motion carried.

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Bids were opened for construction of state road No. 6 in sections 2 and 3, Twp. 46, Rge. 28 from stations 105 and 156 inclusive. The following bids were received:

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John Gilmer	7,500.00
L. A. Baumgartner Co.	9,500.72
S. J. Groves & Son	7082.64
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It was moved and seconded that the contract be awarded to Peter I. Moe, and the county attorney be instructed to draw up the proper contract. Motion carried.

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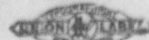
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When the fever was at its height the mortality rose to 40 per cent. It is now down to 10 per cent. Although confident that with help now at hand the disease will be checked, the Serbian government admits that conditions afterwards will be most pitiful. All clothing and personal effects must be buried. The replacing of these without outside help will be a matter of years for the poor peasants. A black flag in Serbia marks each house where the dis-

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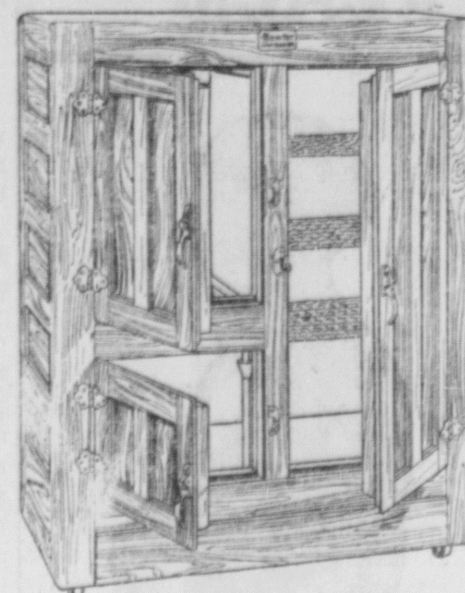
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Serious illnesses often result from lingering coughs and colds. The hacking and coughing and disturbed sleep rack a child's body and the poisons weaken the system, so that disease cannot be thrown off. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound has eased coughs, colds and croup for three generations; safe to use and quick to act. There is no better medicine for croup, coughs and colds. For sale by H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

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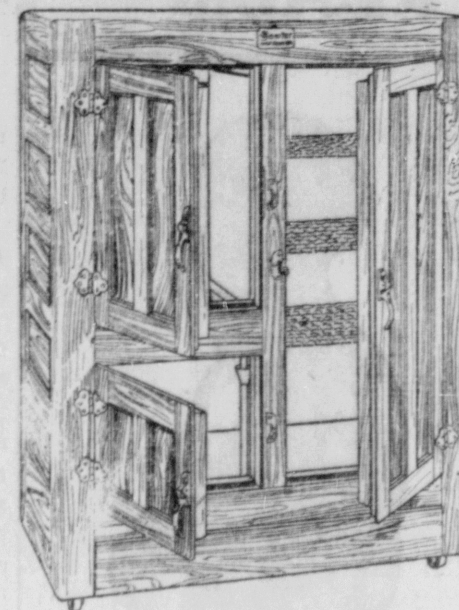
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It Was Built by Money Raised by a Public Lottery.

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A San Francisco correspondent asks me the question:

"Since our state of temperament is subject to change from normal into several different conditions, as sad, glad, angry, happy, excited, etc., is it the body that controls the mind or mind that controls the body?"

This is an important question. In mental laboratories there have been made in recent years extensive researches. People have been tested by delicate recording electrical instruments. Questions have been asked and statements made to these persons and the action of mind on body detected by the apparatus. Increased heart action or decreased nervous tension change in bodily temperature, pulse, respiration, aspects of the face, eyes, lips—these and many more effects have been studied and results recorded in many books.

These are of great interest to detectives, courts and physicians.

Conversely, stimulation of nerves by electricity, by irritating drugs, mechanical impacts and the like have been made in all manner of ways.

The facts are that mind has a decided influence on brain, nerves, heart and vital organs through the nerves. Any manipulation of the body, nerves and circulatory systems really produces a reflex action on the mind.

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### NOTICE

To the lot owners of Evergreen cemetery:

It will be absolutely necessary for you and each of you, who contemplate having your lot in Evergreen cemetery cared for during the season of 1915, to list the same with Milton McFadden, secretary, on or before the twenty-fifth (25th) day of May, that is to say, if you desire to have them in a good condition for Decoration day.

Lots not listed will NOT be cared for by the association.

28813 Committee on Grounds.

## COMMUTE SENTENCES CROSBY KIDNAPPERS

Pardon Board Shortens the Term of Imprisonment for Three Crow Wing County Men

### SULLIVAN MUST SERVE 2 MONTH

They Will be Released July 16, Sullivan Escaped Incarceration Until This Time

The Minneapolis Journal says that the three Crow Wing county kidnapers who were sentenced to state prison because of an affair growing out of a strike of miners at Crosby and Deerwood, were given commutations of sentence by the state pardon board today, so that they may be released July 16. William J. Sullivan, proprietor of an automobile garage in Crosby; Peter L. Newman, a former deputy sheriff, and George C. Payne, a concrete contractor, were convicted of taking Theodore Sjogren, a leader of the miners, and putting him aboard a train for Duluth at Brainerd. They were sentenced under the indeterminate sentence law to from 5 to 40 years.

The sentences were commuted to six months. Newman and Payne have been in prison since Jan. 16, but Sullivan escaped incarceration through a prieve by the pardon board at a previous meeting. He is directed by the board to report at the St. Cloud reformatory within 10 days and will have only two months to serve.

### Ruler of the Hellenes.

When the allied fleets began smashing the forts of the Dardanelles the people of Greece believed that the time had arrived when the Hellenic nation should abandon its policy of neutrality and enter the war against their ancient foes, the Turks. King Constantine, however, against the sentiment of par-



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liament and the entire Hellenic race, asked for the resignation of Premier Venizelos, who favored entering the conflict. This action raised a storm of protest from the people, who believed that Greece should join the triple entente in the desperate struggle against the Turk.

King Constantine of Greece was born in Athens in 1868. During the wars of 1912-13 he won great popularity for the services he rendered in two successive campaigns. He succeeded to the throne in March, 1913, his father, King George, having been assassinated at Saloniki, which had been captured from the Turks. King Constantine was married in 1889 to Princess Sophia, a sister of the German emperor. The wedding was attended by the kaiser and members of the royal families of every court in Europe. Soon afterward Sophia renounced her Lutheran religion and took that of her husband, thereby deeply offending her brother and others of her family.

### OF LOCAL INTEREST

Some People We Know, and We Will Profit by Hearing About Them

This is a purely local event. It took place in Brainerd. Not in some faraway place. You are asked to investigate it. Asked to believe a citizen's word; To confirm a citizen's statement.

Any article that is endorsed at home is more worthy of confidence, than one you know nothing about, endorsed by unknown people.

A. S. Lindberg, 720 Elm St., Brainerd, says: "Some time ago, I was an awful sufferer from kidney complaint. The kidney secretions were unnatural and I had a dull, heavy pain in my back. It was almost impossible for me to bend over and when I caught cold, the trouble was worse. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Johnson's Drug store and they rid me of the pains and other kidney ailments. I haven't had any kidney trouble to speak of since."

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## SKETCHES FROM HINDUSTAN

The Many Languages of India Described by Rev. C. H. S. Koch

### A FORMER MISSIONARY THERE

Schools are Crowded With Young Men and Boys Anxious to Learn English

Rev. C. H. S. Koch, pastor of the First Methodist church, having seen life as a missionary in India, continues recording his "Sketches of Hindustan" for Dispatch readers and in this issue writes of the languages of India. He says:

Another element that keeps India from being a united nation is that of language. There can be no union until there can be in some large degree facility of communication. The policy of the American government in the Philippines in everywhere fostering the English language, is unique but it must be remembered that the languages of India present a far different problem, both as to the number of people using them, and their own inherent value.

Note these facts: There are eight languages in India that are spoken by over ten millions of people each; the Hindi is used by over 88 millions, the Bengali by over 44 millions. Then there are ten languages used by from one to ten millions each. These languages are highly developed and have a worthy literature.

The languages of the northern part of India spring, through some intermediate changes, from the mother language Sanskrit—"the perfect language." From the grammatical standpoint Sanskrit is perhaps the most highly developed and flexible medium known. The last two generations especially on the continent, have witnessed a wide revival of Sanskrit studies. From it spring the modern languages of India. Punjabi spoken in the northwest; Gujarathi spoken in the regions about Bombay on the west coast; Marathi further south and in Central India, Hindi in the north portion, Bengali in the delta regions.

In the south the great languages are the Tamil, Telegu, Kanarese, Malayalam and the Singhalese (in Ceylon.) These languages have their origin in the languages of the aboriginal tribes, but have been largely influenced by the Sanskrit of their Aryan conquerors, just as Anglo-Saxon was enriched by the Normans from Northern France.

The English language is of course widely used, though only one-third of one percent have any extensive education in English. There are however many more who have a working acquaintance with it, and in every department of life, government, commercial, educational, and ecclesiastical it is the stepping stone to promotion. The schools are crowded with young men and boys, eager to secure an English education as a stepping stone to success.

One language of India is especially worthy of mention, that is, the Hindustani. This language is the result of the Mohammedan invasion ten centuries ago, when the Persian spoken by the conquerors came into contact with the Hindi. This Hindustani contains elements of Hindi and Persian, and through Persian also elements of Arabic. In its purer form, used in literature, it is generally called Urdu and throughout all of Northern India it is used as a general means of communication, much as French was used in the times of the Crusaders, by men of various tongues. From Calcutta to Bombay, and clear to the borders of the mountains, Hindustani will carry a man anywhere.

This diversity of language, as can easily be seen is a burden, and seems more so to us in America because we can generally get along with one language. It prevents the great mass of people from becoming interested in national affairs; it makes necessary a greater expense in the dissemination of all kinds of literature, both secular and religious, due often to the cost of translation, and due also to increased cost of printing.

The missionary however in order to reach the hearts of the people must be able to speak to men in their own tongues, and all district officials too, in fact every one intimately concerned with the life of the people generally learns the language of the province where his work lies.

### Don't.

When you feel in a scrappy mood don't try to take a fall out of an airship.—Chicago News.

## DROPS LAND INDICTMENTS

Government Orders Alleged Alaska Conspirators Freed.

Seattle, May 12.—Attorney General Gregory has ordered dismissed all of the federal indictments returned at Tacoma Oct. 14, 1910, against Cornelius Christopher and George Simmonds, charging them with conspiracy to defraud the government by the use of dummy entries into the location of the Alaska coal claims, known as the Christopher group in the Dering river field.

The claims were ordered canceled by the land office last March.

### The Evolution of the Hog.

The time honored razor backed hog is giving place to the sleek porker, on whose broad back a square meal could be displayed without a drop of coffee being spilled and with no danger of even one of the dishes sliding to the ground. The rooter is being shouldered out of the way in Georgia by the hog that doesn't have to root for a living and is so fat that its efforts to root would be ludicrous. Scientists say that when any part of an animal is long unused it tends gradually to disappear. Does that mean that pig culture will cause the final disappearance of the nasal protuberance of the hog with which it formerly was accustomed to root for its living?—Savannah News.

### Necessarily Slow.

A California youngster had been permitted to visit a boy friend on the strict condition that he was to leave there at 5 o'clock. He did not arrive home till 7 o'clock and his mother was very angry. The youngster insisted, however, that he had obeyed her orders and had not lingered unnecessarily on the way.

"Do you expect me to believe," said his mother, "that it took you two hours to walk a quarter of a mile?" She reached for the whip. "Now, sir, will you tell me the truth?" "Ye-es, mamma," sobbed the boy. "Charlie Wilson gave me a mud turtle and I was afraid to carry it—so I led it home."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

### LIFE'S PURPOSES.

Life's purposes are the attainment of personal perfection and to help in the whole life of the world. Men are given their lives and the possibility of dying natural deaths only on condition that they serve the life of the whole world, whereas the suicide exploits life as long as it is agreeable and refuses to serve the life of the world as soon as it becomes unpleasant, ignoring the likely fact that his service began only at that moment when his life became burdensome. Every work is at first unpleasant.—Tolstoy.

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### MYSTERY OF THE MIND.

One of the Great Riddles That Science Cannot Solve.

Mind is the great unsolved mystery of science. No clew has been discovered as to what mind is, and yet scientists are ever striving to find some clew that will enable them to solve this greatest of all mysteries.

A San Francisco correspondent asks me the question:

"Since our state of temperament is subject to change from normal into several different conditions, as sad, glad, angry, happy, excited, etc., is it the body that controls the mind or mind that controls the body?"

This is an important question. In mentalogical laboratories there have been made in recent years extensive researches. People have been tested by delicate recording electrical instruments. Questions have been asked and statements made to these persons and the action of mind on body detected by the apparatus. Increased heart action or decreased nervous tension change in bodily temperature, pulse, respiration, aspects of the face, eyes, lips—these and many more effects have been studied and results recorded in many books.

These are of great interest to detectives, courts and physicians.

Conversely, stimulation of nerves by electricity, by irritating drugs, mechanical impacts and the like have been made in all manner of ways.

The facts are that mind has a decided influence on brain, nerves, heart and vital organs through the nerves. Any manipulation of the body, nerves and circulatory systems really produces a reflex action on the mind.

The whole subject is obscure at present. So inconceivably complex is the human organization that it may be a number of years before all connections between the personality and body are discovered. If, indeed, they ever will be detected. But no clew has been discovered as to what mind is. This is an impenetrable mystery in the present state of mental science.—Edgar Lucien Larkin in New York American.

### NOTICE

To the lot owners of Evergreen cemetery:

It will be absolutely necessary for you and each of you, who contemplate having your lot in Evergreen cemetery cared for during the season of 1915, to list the same with Milton McFadden, secretary, on or before the twenty-fifth (25th) day of May, that is to say, if you desire to have them in a good condition for Decoration day.

Lots not listed will NOT be cared for by the association.

28813 Committee on Grounds.

## COMMUTE SENTENCES CROSBY KIDNAPPERS

Pardon Board Shortens the Term of Imprisonment for Three Crow Wing County Men

### SULLIVAN MUST SERVE 2 MONTH

They Will be Released July 16, Sullivan Escaped Incarceration Until This Time

The Minneapolis Journal says that the three Crow Wing county kidnapers who were sentenced to state prison because of an affair growing out of a strike of miners at Crosby and Deerwood, were given commutations of sentence by the state pardon board today, so that they may be released July 16. William J. Sullivan, proprietor of an automobile garage in Crosby; Peter L. Newman, a former deputy sheriff, and George C. Payne, a concrete contractor, were convicted of taking Theodore Sjogren, a leader of the miners, and putting him aboard a train for Duluth at Brainerd. They were sentenced under the indeterminate sentence law to from 5 to 40 years.

The sentences were commuted to six months. Newman and Payne have been in prison since Jan. 16, but Sullivan escaped incarceration through a prieve by the pardon board at a previous meeting. He is directed by the board to report at the St. Cloud reformatory within 10 days and will have only two months to serve.

### Ruler of the Hellenes.

When the allied fleets began smashing the forts of the Dardanelles the people of Greece believed that the day had arrived when the Hellenic nation should abandon its policy of neutrality and enter the war against their ancient foes, the Turks. King Constantine, however, against the sentiment of par-



KING CONSTANTINE OF GREECE

liament and the entire Hellenic race, asked for the resignation of Premier Venizelos, who favored entering the conflict. This action raised a storm of protest from the people, who believed that Greece should join the triple entente in the desperate struggle against the Turk.

King Constantine of Greece was born in Athens in 1868. During the wars of 1912-13 he won great popularity for the services he rendered in two successive campaigns. He succeeded to the throne in March, 1913, his father, King George, having been assassinated at Saloniki, which had been captured from the Turks. King Constantine was married in 1890 to Princess Sophia, a sister of the German emperor. The wedding was attended by the kaiser and members of the royal families of every court in Europe. Soon afterward Sophia renounced her Lutheran religion and took that of her husband, thereby deeply offending her brother and others of her family.

### OF LOCAL INTEREST

Some People We Know, and We Will Profit by Hearing About Them

This is a purely local event. It took place in Brainerd. Not in some faraway place. You are asked to investigate it. Asked to believe a citizen's word; To confirm a citizen's statement.

Any article that is endorsed at home is more worthy of confidence, than one you know nothing about, endorsed by unknown people.

A. S. Lindberg, 720 Elm St., Brainerd, says: "Some time ago, I was an awful sufferer from kidney complaint. The kidney secretions were unnatural and I had a dull, heavy pain in my back. It was almost impossible for me to bend over and when I caught cold, the trouble was worse. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Johnson's Drug store and they rid me of the pains and other kidney ailments. I haven't had any kidney trouble to speak of since."

Prices 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Lindberg had. Foster-McMillan Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

## SKETCHES FROM HINDUSTAN

The Many Languages of India Described by Rev. C. H. S. Koch

### A FORMER MISSIONARY THERE

Schools are Crowded With Young Men and Boys Anxious to Learn English

Rev. C. H. S. Koch, pastor of the First Methodist church, having seen life as a missionary in India, continues recording his "Sketches of Hindustan" for Dispatch readers and in this issue writes of the languages of India. He says:

Another element that keeps India from being a united nation is that of language. There can be no union until there can be in some large degree facility of communication. The policy of the American government in the Philippines in everywhere fostering the English language, is unique but it must be remembered that the languages of India present a far different problem, both as to the number of people using them, and their own inherent value.

Note these facts: There are eight languages in India that are spoken by over ten millions of people each; the Hindi is used by over 88 millions, the Bengali by over 44 millions. Then there are ten languages each by from one to ten millions used. These languages are highly developed and have a worthy literature.

The languages of the northern part of India spring, through some intermediate changes, from the mother language Sanskrit—"the perfect language." From the grammatical standpoint Sanskrit is perhaps the most highly developed and flexible medium known. The last two generations especially on the continent, have witnessed a wide revival of Sanskrit studies. From it spring the modern languages of India. Punjabi spoken in the northwest; Gujarathi spoken in the regions about Bombay on the west coast; Marathi further south and in Central India, Hindi in the north portion, Bengali in the delta regions.

In the south the great languages are the Tamil, Telegu, Kanarese, Malayalam and the Singhalese (in Ceylon.) These languages have their origin in the languages of the aboriginal tribes, but have been largely influenced by the Sanskrit of their Aryan conquerors, just as Anglo-Saxon was enriched by the Normans from Northern France.

The English language is of course widely used, though only one-third of one percent have any extensive education in English. There are however many more who have a working acquaintance with it, and in every department of life, government, commercial, educational, and ecclesiastical it is the stepping stone to promotion. The schools are crowded with young men and boys, eager to secure an English education as a stepping stone to success.

One language of India is especially worthy of mention, that is, the Hindustani. This language is the result of the Mohammedan invasion ten centuries ago, when the Persian spoken by the conquerors came into contact with the Hindi. This Hindustani contains elements of Hindi and Persian, and through Persian also elements of Arabic. In its purer form, used in literature, it is generally called Urdu and throughout all of Northern India it is used as a general means of communication, much as French was used in the times of the Crusaders, by men of various tongues. From Calcutta to Bombay, and clear to the borders of the mountains, Hindustani will carry a man anywhere.

This diversity of language, as can easily be seen is a burden, and seems more so to us in America because we can generally get along with one language. It prevents the great mass of people from becoming interested in national affairs; it makes necessary a greater expense in the dissemination of all kinds of literature, both secular and religious, due often to the cost of translation, and due also to increased cost of printing.

The missionary however in order to reach the hearts of the people must be able to speak to men in their own tongues, and all district officials too, in fact every one intimately concerned with the life of the people generally learns the language of the province where his work lies.

### Don't.

When you feel in a scrappy mood don't try to take a fall out of an air-ship.—Chicago News.

## DROPS LAND INDICTMENTS

Government Orders Alleged Alaska Conspirators Freed.

Seattle, May 12.—Attorney General Gregory has ordered dismissed all of the federal indictments returned at Tacoma Oct. 14, 1910, against Cornelius Christopher and George Simmonds, charging them with conspiracy to defraud the government by the use of dummy entries into the location of the Alaska coal claims, known as the Christopher group in the Dering river field.

The claims were ordered canceled by the land office last March.

### The Evolution of the Hog.

The time honored razor backed hog is giving place to the sleek porker, on whose broad back a square meal could be displayed without a drop of coffee being spilled and with no danger of even one of the crishes sliding to the ground. The rooster is being shouldered out of the way in Georgia by the hog that doesn't have to root for a living and is so fat that its efforts to root would be ludicrous. Scientists say that when any part of an animal is long unused it tends gradually to disappear. Does that mean that pig culture will cause the final disappearance of the nasal protuberance of the hog with which it formerly was accustomed to root for its living?—Savannah News.

### Necessarily Slow.

A California youngster had been permitted to visit a boy friend on the strict condition that he was to leave home at 5 o'clock. He did not arrive home till 7 o'clock and his mother was very angry. The youngster insisted, however, that he had obeyed her orders and had not lingered unnecessarily on the way.

"Do you expect me to believe," said his mother, "that it took you two hours to walk a quarter of a mile?" She reached for the whip. "Now, sir, will you tell me the truth?" "Ye-es, mamma," sobbed the boy. "Charlie Wilson gave me a mud turtle and I was afraid to carry it—so I led it home."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

### LIFE'S PURPOSES.

Life's purposes are the attainment of personal perfection and to help in the whole life of the world. Men are given their lives and the possibility of dying natural deaths only on condition that they serve the life of the whole world, whereas the suicide exploits life as long as it is agreeable and refuses to serve the life of the world as soon as it becomes unpleasant, ignoring the likely fact that his service began only at that moment when his life became burdensome. Every work is at first unpleasant.—Tolstoy.

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NOTE—It was in the taking of this picture that Aviator Stites lost his life on March 18th, at Universal City

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A special meeting of the Retail Clerk's will be held at the usual place tonight at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

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### Our "Jitney" Offer—This and 5s

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. For sale by H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv.

### Infection in the Air

Medical authorities agree that colds are infectious. In some cities children with colds are barred from schools. Spring's changing whether brings many colds. The quickest and safe way to stop colds, coughs and croup is to give Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. For sale by H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv.



# The BLACK BOX

by E. Phillips Oppenheim

Novelized from the Photo Play of the Same Name. Produced by the Universal Film Manufacturing Company.

Lenora commenced a rambling account of what she had read in the newspaper. All the time the eyes of the two girls were fixed upon the mirror. They could see the professor seated in his chair with two huge volumes by his side, a pile of manuscript, and a pen in his hand. They could even catch the look of sympathy on his face as he listened attentively. Suddenly Lenora almost broke off. She gripped Laura by the arm. The door of the study had been opened slowly, and Craig, carrying a bundle, paused for a moment on the threshold. He glanced nervously toward the professor, who seemed unaware of his entrance. Then he moved stealthily toward the fireplace, stooped down and committed something to the flames. The relief on his face, as he stood up, was obvious.

"All I can do for Mr. Quest, young lady, I will," the professor promised. He laid the receiver down and the



"The Jewels Have Been Stolen!"

reflection on the mirror faded away. Lenora started up and hastily put on her coat and hat, which were still lying on the chair.

"I am going right down to the professor's," she announced. "What do you think you can do there?" Laura asked.

"I am going to see if I can find out what that man burned," she replied. "I will be back in an hour."

Laura walked with her as far as the street car, and very soon afterward Lenora found herself knocking at the professor's front door. Craig admitted her almost at once. For a moment he seemed to shiver as he recognized her. "Well, young lady," the professor said, "have you thought of something I can do?"

She took no notice of the chair to which he pointed, and rested her hand upon his shoulder.

"Professor," she begged, "go and see Mr. Quest! He is in the Tombs prison. It would be the kindest thing anyone could possibly do."

The professor glanced regretfully at his manuscript, but he did not hesitate. He rose promptly to his feet.

"If you think he would appreciate it, I will go at once," he decided. Her face shone with gratitude.

"That is really kind of you, professor," she declared.

"I will send for my coat and we will go together, if you like," he suggested. She smiled.

"I am going the other way, back to Georgia square," she explained. "No, please don't ring. I can find my own way out."

She hurried from the room. Outside in the hall she paused for a moment, listening with beating heart. By the side wall was a hat rack with branching pegs, from which several coats were hanging. She slipped quietly behind their shelter.

A moment or two later she heard the professor leave the house. Very cautiously she stole out from her hiding place. The hall was empty. She crossed it with noiseless footsteps, slipped into the study and moved stealthily to the fireplace. There was a little heap of ashes in one distinct spot. She gathered them up in her handkerchief and secreted it in her dress and quietly left the house.

At Georgia square she found Laura waiting for her, and a few minutes afterward the two girls were examining the ashes with the aid of Quest's microscope. Among the little pile was one fragment at the sight of which they both exclaimed. It was distinctly a shred of charred muslin embroidery. Lenora pointed toward it triumphantly.

"Isn't that evidence?" she demanded. "Let's ring up Inspector French!" Laura shook her head doubtfully.

"Not so fast," she advised. "French is a good sort in his way, but he's prejudiced just now against the boss. I'm not sure that this evidence would go far by itself."

"It's evidence enough for us to go to Craig, though! What we have got to do is to get a confession out of him, somehow!"

Laura studied her companion, for a moment, curiously. "Taking some interest in Mr. Quest, kid, ain't you?" Lenora looked up. Then her head suddenly sank into her hands. She knew quite well that her secret had escaped her. Laura patted her shoulder.

"That's all right, child," she said soothingly. "We'll see him through this, somehow or other."

"Laura," exclaimed Lenora, "we will save Mr. Quest and we will get hold of Craig! I have a plan. Listen!"

(To be Continued)

Grand Theatre every Monday and Tuesday.

## CODDLING THE STOMACH

The So-Called "Scientific" Feeding

In this 20th century of advancement, people are too apt to listen to new theories and put into practice new-fangled notions of feeding. Not only do adults follow so-called "scientific system," but they cram down the mouths of their children such scientific soft foods that require no exercise of the digestive organs, and the children are apt to become fragile and their stomachs too weak to take in strength-giving food and be able to assimilate it. This is a noxious condition that no man, woman or child should permit. The muscles of the stomach require exercise just as any other muscles of the body; neglect them with too much ease and inaction and you raise a dyspeptic. Use a tonic made of medicinal herbs which will stimulate the stomach into greater activity—a remedy which will do this is one which has stood the test of public approval for over forty years, containing no alcohol or narcotic. We refer to Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

It arouses the little muscular fibres into activity and causes the gastric juices to thoroughly mix with the food you eat, simply because it supplies the stomach with pure, rich blood. It's weak, impure blood that causes stomach weakness. Get good blood through the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and you will have no more indigestion.

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## BRITISH OFFICIAL OPINION

Views Sinking of Lusitania as Unjustifiable Murder.

London, May 12.—Inquiry in official circles here has elicited the following statement representing the British official view of Germany's justification for torpedoing the Lusitania, which Germany transmitted to the state department at Washington:

"The German government states that responsibility for the loss of the Lusitania rests with the British government, which, through its plan of starving the civil population of Germany, has forced Germany to resort to retaliatory measures.

The reply is, in part, as follows: "The Germans attempt to justify the sinking of the Lusitania by the fact that she had arms and ammunition on board. The presence of contraband on board a neutral vessel does render her liable to capture, but certainly not to destruction with the loss of a large portion of her crew and passengers. Every enemy vessel is a fair prize, but there is no legal provision, not to speak of the principles of humanity, which would justify what can only be described as murder because a vessel carries contraband."

ITALY'S ATTITUDE STILL UNDECIDED.

Rome, May 12.—Italy is in a state of indecision with regard to her stand for or against war. She is halting between the opinion of Former Premier Giolitti, who believes it would be better to avoid war, and that of the cabinet.

## LIQUOR QUESTION A PERSISTENT ONE

Efforts to Keep It Out of Conventions May Fail In End.

MAY SPLIT BOTH PARTIES.

Delegates, Chosen at Primaries, to Be Instructed to Insist on Prohibition Plant—Tennessee, a Democratic State, May Go to Republicans as a Result of Wet and Dry Fight.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, May 12.—[Special.]—It may prove more difficult than politicians now imagine to keep the liquor question out of the national conventions next year. The fact that delegates are to be chosen by primaries and may be under certain instructions to present prohibition planks to the conventions may bring the subject into national politics in spite of the efforts of the leaders to keep the question in the background.

It is well known that President Wilson believes that the liquor question should be left to the states. Secretary Bryan believes that ultimately it will become a national issue. If it were not for the position of his chief he would make it a national issue now.

May Split Parties.

The liquor question has been a party wrecker in some states, and it may split parties in the future as contests are made between the dries and wets. Tennessee long had a Republican governor because the Democrats were divided on the liquor question. Now it is asserted that Kentucky Democrats are so divided on this subject that the Republicans may elect the governor and legislature. The people of the south are generally intense on this question and where one party has been in control nearly all the time the factional fights are more bitter over liquor than over partisan politics.

It is also possible that the prohibition issue may make trouble for Republicans in several northern states. It certainly will if any attempt is made to inject it into the national campaign and instruct delegates to support a prohibition plank in the national platform.

Can't Be Suppressed.

The idea that Justice Hughes will make the best candidate the Republicans could name is one which can't be suppressed. Every little while some disinterested man—disinterested, so far as the personality of candidates is concerned—will come along and say that Hughes will make the best candidate for the Republicans, even though the justice has stated emphatically that he will not allow his name to be considered and will not accept the nomination.

Out on a Limb.

If Theodore Roosevelt decides to go back into the Republican party he will leave quite a number of his followers out on a limb with no landing place except the ground below. It appears that a number of men have been getting back into the Republican fold in advance of the Roosevelt regression. Many of these do not want to appear that they simply went into the Progressive party as followers of Roosevelt only to follow him back into the Republican party.

Want an Atlantic State.

Woman suffragists long for a foothold in the east. They want to get one of the original thirteen states in the woman suffrage column. "If one Atlantic state," said Senator Clapp of Minnesota, who has done much speaking for suffrage since congress adjourned, "gets equal suffrage this fall it will not take long for other states to follow after they have seen suffrage at close range. But women should not be too optimistic for results this fall, as the country is passing through a period of reactionism. The spirit of commercialism has throttled the progressive sentiment."

It Made One Smile.

Henry M. Goldfogle, former congressman from New York city, who was beaten by the Socialist, Meyer London, is nothing if not intense. In the house his intensity was often dramatic. Goldfogle came over to Washington a short time ago and talked about politics. During the discussion he saw bright things ahead for New York Democracy, which was all right. Then he went on to say that the Barnes-Roosevelt trial would hurt the Republican party, as it disclosed the fact that "the Republican party all along has been saturated with bossism."

Now, that is pretty good, coming from a Tammany man who never kicked over the traces. And then Goldfogle may remember the time when there was danger of the election of a Socialist or some other third party man in his district, and the Republicans quickly turned over enough votes to insure Goldfogle's majority.

Must Take Sides.

Quite a number of politicians wish they could "hide out" on the subject of prohibition these days. Some way that issue gives them much more trouble than almost any other. Woman suffrage is tame compared to the feeling aroused on the subject of prohibition. The prohibitionists in many states will stop at nothing and are not willing to forgive any man in politics who opposes them.

## BATTLES RAGING EAST AND WEST

Armies of the Belligerents Are Fully Occupied.

BELGIANS MAKE PROGRESS

French Also Capture Many Prisoners, Some Cannon and Machine Guns. British Forces Are Said to Have Been Similarly Successful.

London, May 12.—With two of the greatest battles of the war in progress—one between Arras and the Belgian coast and the other in Western Galicia—to say nothing of the operations in the Dardanelles and lesser engagements along the eastern and western fronts, the armies of the belligerents are fully occupied.

The battle in Northern France and Flanders might be divided into three sections. From the coast to Dixmude the Belgians, supported by French marines, have taken the offensive and, besides repulsing German counter attacks, have gained a footing on the right bank of the Yser canal.

Around Ypres, particularly to the east of that town, the Germans continue to attack the British lines and are again using gas and a tremendous amount of artillery, but, according to the British version, without making any impression.

Farther to the south, as far as Arras, the French continue their offensive and have made very material progress, capturing a number of Germans, with guns and machine guns.

The greatest importance is attached to the French operations, as they threaten the German lines of communication for the armies on the Oise and the Aisne. The result of this battle, which doubtless will not be decided for days, is awaited with deep interest.

Railway Lines Damaged.

According to the French report the Germans, their railway lines having been damaged by allied airmen, have brought up reinforcements by motor cars. These have been met by the concentrated fire of the French artillery. In fact, the artillery is becoming more and more the determining factor in the war.

Around Ypres the Germans, before launching their attacks, which have been delivered on successive days, thoroughly searched the ground with heavy and light guns, subjecting the British to a bombardment such as they themselves received at Nieuve Chapelle. Officers and men who have escaped from it state that the trenches were utterly destroyed and the ground churned up by the shells.

Nevertheless the British found some kind of shelter, and when the German infantry tried to advance they were mowed down. There are no signs, however, of the German attacks slackening. The Germans are reported to be concentrating more levies in Belgium, ready to take the place of, or give support to, those now on the firing line. Indeed, many believe that the biggest effort yet undertaken to reach the French coast ports is under way.

## RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American Association. Cleveland 4, St. Paul 1. Columbus 8, Minneapolis 7. Indianapolis 19, Milwaukee 3. Kansas City 7, Louisville 4.

National League. Chicago 5, Brooklyn 1. St. Louis 5, Boston 1. Philadelphia 4, Pittsburgh 2. Cincinnati 2, New York 1.

American League. Philadelphia 3, St. Louis 0. Cleveland 3, New York 1. Washington 2, Chicago 0. Detroit 5, Boston 1.

Federal League. Kansas City 7, Newark 0. Pittsburgh 1, Buffalo 0. Baltimore 6, St. Louis 5. Chicago 6, Brooklyn 4.

Northern League. Superior 10, Winnipeg 5. Duluth 6, St. Boniface 7. Grand Forks 5, Virginia 0.

TENNIS STAR SLAIN IN THE DARDANELLES.

London, May 12.—Anthony F. Wilding of New Zealand, former lawn tennis champion of Great Britain and who several times has been a member of the Australasian team in the Davis cup matches, has been killed in the fighting in the Dardanelles. Mr. Wilding was a second lieutenant in the royal marines.

LUCK.

Willie—Paw, what is luck? Paw—Common sense, my son.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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St. Paul Grain. St. Paul, May 11.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.58½@1.62½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.53½@1.59½; No. 2 Montana hard, \$1.60½@1.62½; corn, 72½@73½; oats, 51½@52½; barley, 68@73c; rye, \$1.13@1.14; flax, \$1.99.

Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, May 11.—Cattle—Steers, \$6.80@9.25; cows and heifers, \$3.30@8.75; calves, \$6.50@9.00. Hogs—Light, \$7.30@7.72½; mixed, \$7.25@7.70; heavy, \$7.00@7.60; rough, \$7.00@7.15; pigs, \$5.25@6.00. Sheep—Native, \$7.75@8.70.

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# The BLACK BOX

by E. Phillips Oppenheim

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Lenora commenced a rambling account of what she had read in the newspaper. All the time the eyes of the two girls were fixed upon the mirror. They could see the professor seated in his chair with two huge volumes by his side, a pile of manuscript, and a pen in his hand. They could even catch the look of sympathy on his face as he listened attentively. Suddenly Lenora almost broke off. She gripped Laura by the arm. The door of the study had been opened slowly, and Craig, carrying a bundle, paused for a moment on the threshold. He glanced nervously toward the professor, who seemed unaware of his entrance. Then he moved stealthily toward the fireplace, stooped down and committed something to the flames. The relief on his face, as he stood up, was obvious.

"All I can do for Mr. Quest, young lady, I will," the professor promised. He laid the receiver down and the



"The Jewels Have Been Stolen!"

reflection on the mirror faded away. Lenora started up and hastily put on her coat and hat, which were still lying on the chair.

"I am going right down to the professor's," she announced. "What do you think you can do there?" Laura asked.

"I am going to see if I can find out what that man burned," she replied. "I will be back in an hour."

Laura walked with her as far as the street car, and very soon afterward Lenora found herself knocking at the professor's front door. Craig admitted her almost at once. For a moment he seemed to shiver as he recognized her. "Well, young lady," the professor said, "have you thought of something I can do?"

She took no notice of the chair to which he pointed, and rested her hand upon his shoulder.

"Professor," she begged, "go and see Mr. Quest! He is in the Tombs prison. It would be the kindest thing anyone could possibly do."

The professor glanced regretfully at his manuscript, but he did not hesitate. He rose promptly to his feet.

"If you think he would appreciate it, I will go at once," he decided. Her face shone with gratitude.

"That is really kind of you, professor," she declared. "I will send for my coat and we will go together, if you like," he suggested. She smiled.

"I am going the other way, back to Georgia square," she explained. "No, please don't ring. I can find my own way out."

She hurried from the room. Outside in the hall she paused for a moment, listening with beating heart. By the side wall was a hat rack with branching pegs, from which several coats were hanging. She slipped quietly behind her shelter.

A moment or two later she heard the professor leave the house. Very cautiously she stole out from her hiding place. The hall was empty. She crossed it with noiseless footsteps, slipped into the study and moved stealthily to the fireplace. There was a little heap of ashes in one distinct spot. She gathered them up in her handkerchief and secreted it in her dress and quietly left the house.

At Georgia square she found Laura waiting for her, and a few minutes afterward the two girls were examining the ashes with the aid of Quest's microscope. Among the little pile was one fragment at the sight of which they both exclaimed. It was distinctly a shred of charred muslin embroidery. Lenora pointed toward it triumphantly.

"Isn't that evidence?" she demanded. "Let's ring up Inspector French!" Laura shook her head doubtfully.

"Not so fast," she advised. "French is a good sort in his way, but he's prejudiced just now against the boss. I'm not sure that this evidence would go far by itself."

"It's evidence enough for us to go to Craig, though! What we have got to do is to get a confession out of him, somehow!"

Laura studied her companion, for a moment, curiously. "Taking some interest in Mr. Quest, kid, isn't you?"

Lenora looked up. Then her head suddenly sank into her hands. She knew quite well that her secret had escaped her. Laura patted her shoulder.

"That's all right, child," she said soothingly. "We'll see him through this, somehow or other."

"Laura," exclaimed Lenora, "we will save Mr. Quest and we will get hold of Craig! I have a plan! Listen!"

(To be Continued)

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## BRITISH OFFICIAL OPINION

Views Sinking of Lusitania as Unjustifiable Murder.

London, May 12.—Inquiry in official circles here has elicited the following statement representing the British official view of Germany's justification for torpedoing the Lusitania, which Germany transmitted to the state department at Washington:

"The German government states that responsibility for the loss of the Lusitania rests with the British government, which, through its plan of starving the civil population of Germany, has forced Germany to resort to retaliatory measures.

The reply is, in part, as follows: "The Germans attempt to justify the sinking of the Lusitania by the fact that she had arms and ammunition on board. The presence of contraband on board a neutral vessel does render her liable to capture, but certainly not to destruction with the loss of a large portion of her crew and passengers. Every enemy vessel is a fair prize, but there is no legal provision, not to speak of the principles of humanity, which would justify what can only be described as murder because a vessel carries contraband."

ITALY'S ATTITUDE STILL UNDECIDED.

Rome, May 12.—Italy is in a state of indecision with regard to her stand for or against war. She is halting between the opinion of former Premier Giolitti, who believes it would be better to avoid war, and that of the cabinet.

## LIQUOR QUESTION APERSISTENT ONE

Efforts to Keep It Out of Conventions May Fail In End.

MAY SPLIT BOTH PARTIES.

Delegates, Chosen at Primaries, to Be Instructed to Insist on Prohibition Plant—Tennessee, a Democratic State, May Go to Republicans as a Result of Wet and Dry Fight.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, May 12.—[Special.]—It may prove more difficult than politicians now imagine to keep the liquor question out of the national conventions next year. The fact that delegates are to be chosen by primaries and may be under certain instructions to present prohibition planks to the conventions may bring the subject into national politics in spite of the efforts of the leaders to keep the question in the background.

It is well known that President Wilson believes that the liquor question should be left to the states. Secretary Bryan believes that ultimately it will become a national issue. If it were not for the position of his chief he would make it a national issue now.

May Split Parties.

The liquor question has been a party wrecker in some states, and it may split parties in the future as contests are made between the drys and wets. Tennessee long had a Republican governor because the Democrats were divided on the liquor question. Now it is asserted that Kentucky Democrats are so divided on this subject that the Republicans may elect the governor and legislature. The people of the south are generally intense on this question and where one party has been in control nearly all the time the factional fights are more bitter over liquor than over partisan politics.

It is also possible that the prohibition issue may make trouble for Republicans in several northern states. It certainly will if any attempt is made to inject it into the national campaign and instruct delegates to support a prohibition plank in the national platform.

Can't Be Suppressed.

The idea that Justice Hughes will make the best candidate the Republicans could name is one which can't be suppressed. Every little while some disinterested man—disinterested, so far as the personality of candidates is concerned—will come along and say that Hughes will make the best candidate for the Republicans, even though the justice has stated emphatically that he will not allow his name to be considered and will not accept the nomination.

Out on a Limb.

If Theodore Roosevelt decides to go back into the Republican party he will leave quite a number of his followers out on a limb with no landing place except the ground below. It appears that a number of men have been getting back into the Republican fold in advance of the Roosevelt regression. Many of these do not want to appear that they simply went into the Progressive party as followers of Roosevelt only to follow him back into the Republican party.

Want an Atlantic State.

Woman suffragists long for a foothold in the east. They want to get one of the original thirteen states in the woman suffrage column. "If one Atlantic state," said Senator Clapp of Minnesota, who has done much speaking for suffrage since congress adjourned, "gets equal suffrage this fall it will not take long for other states to follow after they have seen suffrage at close range. But women should not be too optimistic for results this fall, as the country is passing through a period of reactionism. The spirit of commercialism has throttled the progressive sentiment."

It Made One Smile.

Henry M. Goldfogle, former congressman from New York city, who was beaten by the Socialist, Meyer London, is nothing if not intense. In the house his intensity was often dramatic. Goldfogle came over to Washington a short time ago and talked about politics. During the discussion he saw bright things ahead for New York Democracy, which was all right. Then he went on to say that the Barnes-Roosevelt trial would hurt the Republican party, as it disclosed the fact that "the Republican party all along has been saturated with bossism."

Now, that is pretty good, coming from a Tammany man who never kicked over the traces. And then Goldfogle may remember the time when there was danger of the election of a Socialist or some other third party man in his district, and the Republicans quietly turned over enough votes to insure Goldfogle's majority.

Must Take Sides.

Quite a number of politicians wish they could "hide out" on the subject of prohibition these days. Some way that issue gives them much more trouble than almost any other. Woman suffrage is tame compared to the feeling aroused on the subject of prohibition. The prohibitionists in many states will stop at nothing and are not willing to forgive any man in politics who opposes them.

## BATTLES RAGING EAST AND WEST

Armies of the Belligerents Are Fully Occupied.

BELGIANS MAKE PROGRESS

French Also Capture Many Prisoners, Some Cannon and Machine Guns. British Forces Are Said to Have Been Similarly Successful.

London, May 12.—With two of the greatest battles of the war in progress—one between Arras and the Belgian coast and the other in Western Galicia—to say nothing of the operations in the Dardanelles and lesser engagements along the eastern and western fronts, the armies of the belligerents are fully occupied.

The battle in Northern France and Flanders might be divided into three sections.

From the coast to Dixmude the Belgians, supported by French marines, have taken the offensive and, besides repulsing German counter attacks, have gained a footing on the right bank of the Yser canal.

Around Ypres, particularly to the east of that town, the Germans continue to attack the British lines and are again using gas and a tremendous amount of artillery, but, according to the British version, without making any impression.

Farther to the south, as far as Arras, the French continue their offensive and have made very material progress, capturing a number of Germans, with guns and machine guns.

The greatest importance is attached to the French operations, as they threaten the German lines of communication for the armies on the Oise and the Aisne. The result of this battle, which doubtless will not be decided for days, is awaited with deep interest.

Railway Lines Damaged.

According to the French report the Germans, their railway lines having been damaged by allied airmen, have brought up reinforcements by motor cars. These have been met by the concentrated fire of the French artillery. In fact, the artillery is becoming more and more the determining factor in the war.

Around Ypres the Germans, before launching their attacks, which have been delivered on successive days, thoroughly searched the ground with heavy and light guns, subjecting the British to a bombardment such as they themselves received at Nieuve Chapelle. Officers and men who have escaped from it state that the trenches were utterly destroyed and the ground churned up by the shells. Nevertheless the British found some kind of shelter, and when the German infantry tried to advance they were mowed down. There are no signs, however, of the German attacks slackening. The Germans are reported to be concentrating more forces in Belgium, ready to take the place of, or give support to, those now on the firing line. Indeed, many believe that the biggest effort yet undertaken to reach the French coast ports is under way.

## RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American Association. Cleveland 4, St. Paul 1. Columbus 3, Minneapolis 7. Indianapolis 19, Milwaukee 3. Kansas City 7, Louisville 4.

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Northern League. Superior 10, Winnipeg 5. Duluth 6, St. Boniface 7. Grand Forks 5, Virginia 0.

TENNIS STAR SLAIN IN THE DARDANELLES.

London, May 12.—Anthony F. Wilding of New Zealand, former lawn tennis champion of Great Britain and who several times has been a member of the Australasian team in the Davis cup matches, has been killed in the fighting in the Dardanelles. Mr. Wilding was a second lieutenant in the royal marines.

LUCK. Willie—Paw, what is luck? Paw—Common sense, my son.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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St. Paul Grain. St. Paul, May 11.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.58½@1.62½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.53½@1.59½; No. 2 Montana hard, \$1.60½@1.62½; corn, 72½@73½c; oats, 51½@52½; barley, 68@73c; rye, \$1.13@1.14; flax, \$1.99.

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## TAFT ADVOCATES CALMNESS

Calls on Americans to Support President Wilson.

Philadelphia, May 12.—Former President William H. Taft, urged patience and calmness in the international situation and called on the citizens of the country to stand by President Wilson in an address at the Union league here.

Referring to the sinking of the Lusitania, Professor Taft said the "in humanity of the circumstances in the case presses us on, but in the heat of even just indignation is not the best time to act, when action involves such momentous consequences and means untold loss of life and treasure."

"There are things worse than war," Mr. Taft declared, "but delay due to calm deliberations cannot change the situation or minimize the effect of what we finally conclude to do."

## TRADE BALANCE IS LOWER

President Hears It Was \$20,000,000 in Our Favor Last Week.

Washington, May 12.—Secretary Redfield reported to President Wilson at the cabinet meeting that the balance of trade in favor of the United States for the week ending May 8 was \$20,555,707, as compared with \$23,323,204 for the preceding week.

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